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AN INTRODUCTION
TO YOUR
WARSAW PACT COUNTERPART

THIS UNCLASSIFIED BOOKLET IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE U.S. COMBAT INFANTRYMEN WITH A READY REFERENCE TO KEY WARSAW PACT WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT.

IT IS NOT INTENDED TO PROVIDE THE USER WITH A DETAILED GUIDE TO ALL WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT EMPLOYED BY WARSAW PACT FORCES.

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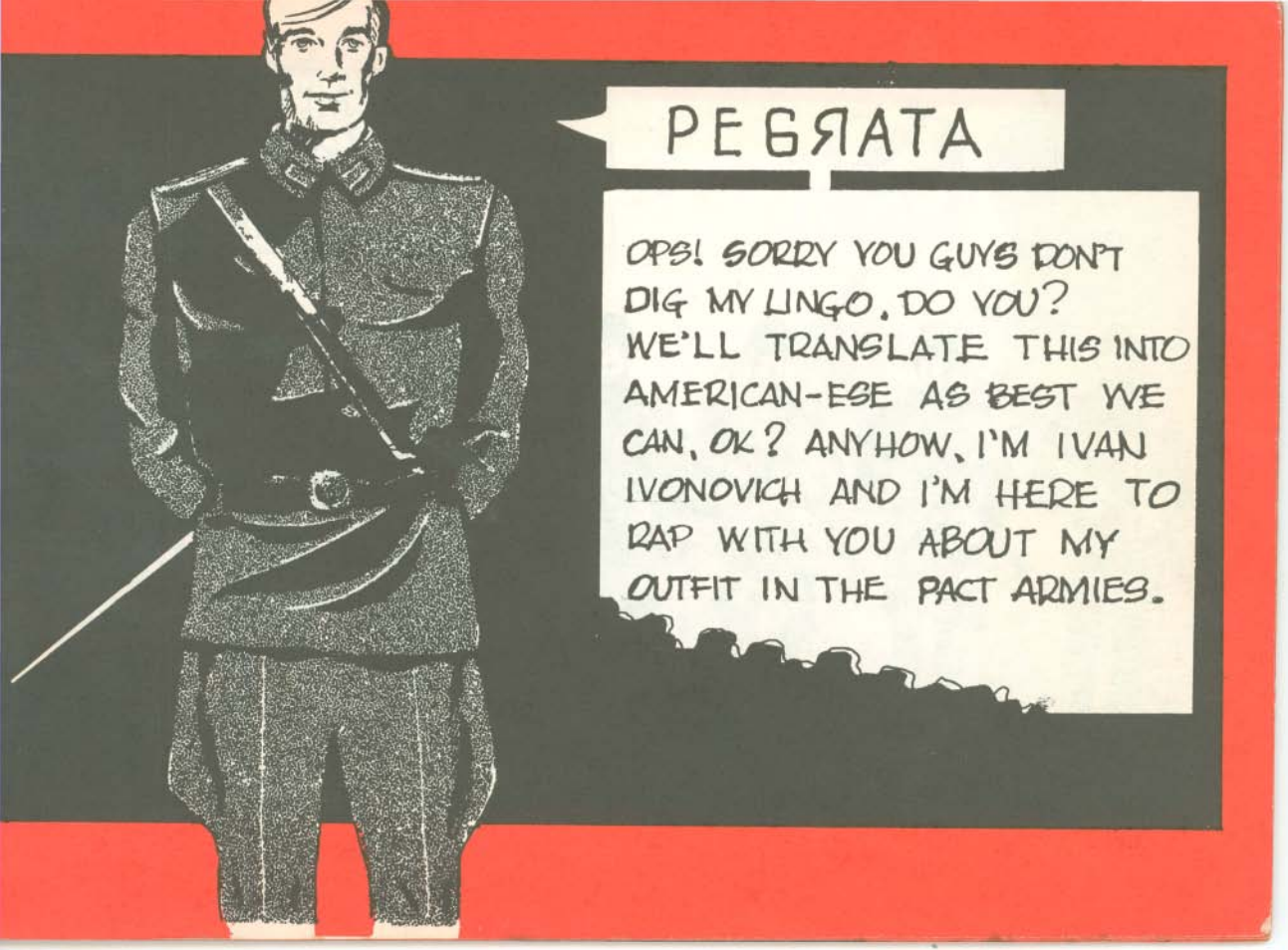
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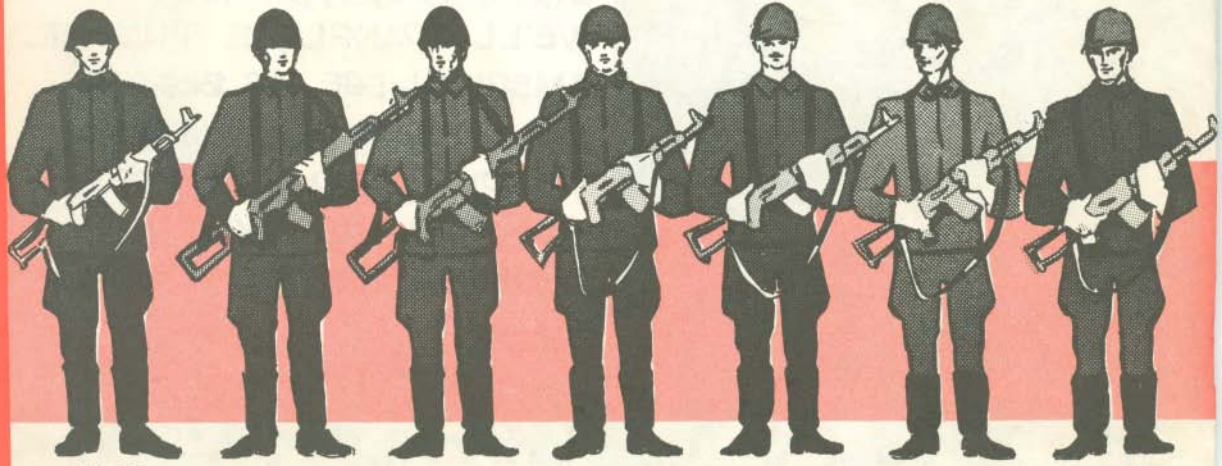
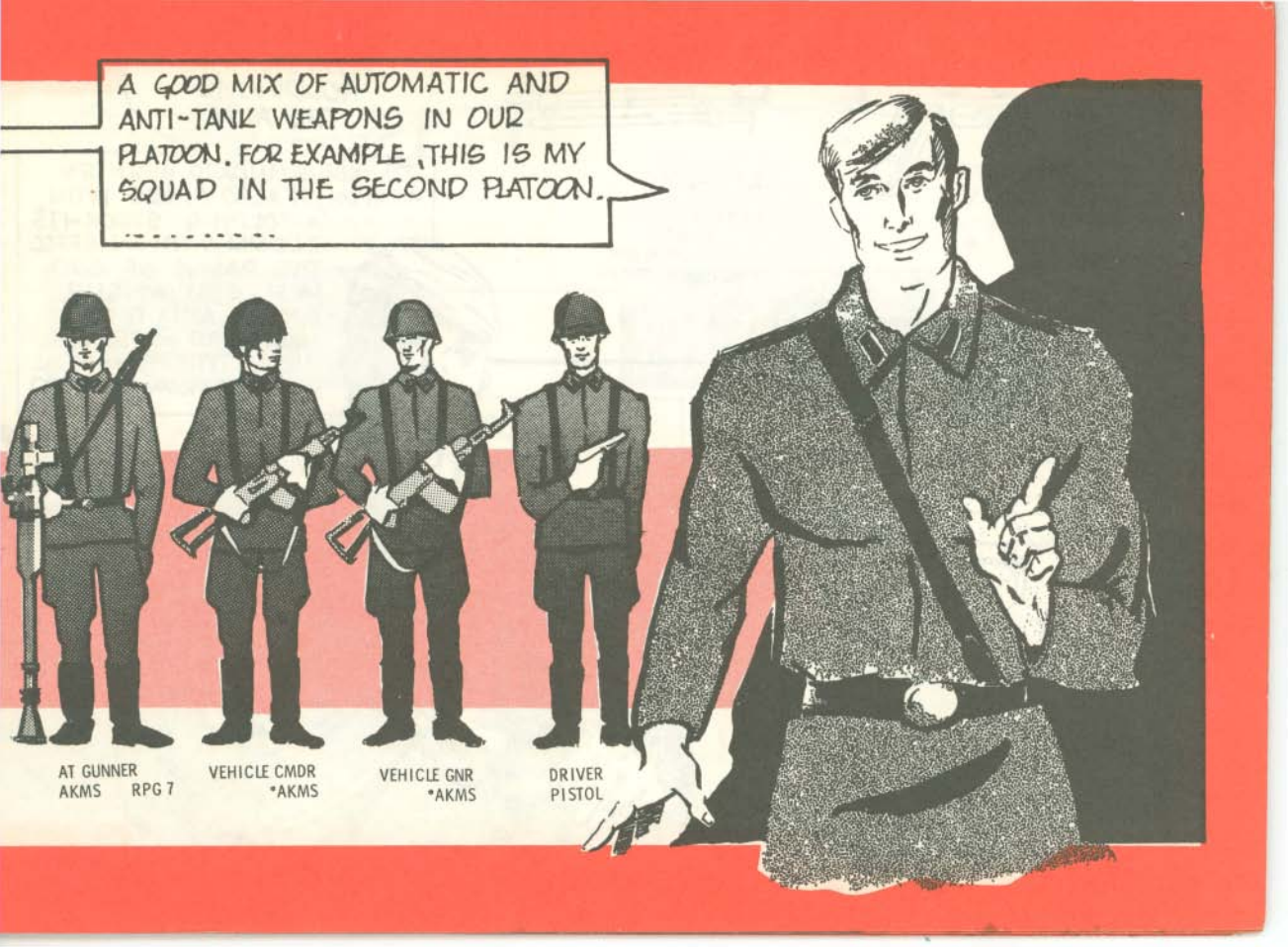
OPS! SORRY YOU GUYS DON'T DIG MY LINGO, DO YOU? WE'LL TRANSLATE THIS INTO AMERICAN-ESE AS BEST WE CAN, OK? ANYHOW, I'M IVAN IVONOVICH AND I'M HERE TO RAP WITH YOU ABOUT MY OUTFIT IN THE PACT ARMIES.

WE'VE GOT A LOT OF FIREPOWER IN THE COMPANY, THERE'S AN SA-7 AIR DEFENSE WEAPON AT COMPANY AND PLATOON LEVELS PLUS



SQD LDR *AKMS | MG PK | MG PK | RIFLEMAN *AKMS | RIFLEMAN *AKMS | RIFLEMAN *AKMS | RIFLEMAN *AKMS

*THIS IS THE STEEL STOCK VERSION OF THE AKM(EMPLOYED IN THE BMP)


A GOOD MIX OF AUTOMATIC AND ANTI-TANK WEAPONS IN OUR PLATOON. FOR EXAMPLE, THIS IS MY SQUAD IN THE SECOND PLATOON.
AT GUNNER
AKMS RPG 7
VEHICLE CMDR
*AKMS
VEHICLE GNR
*AKMS
DRIVER
PISTOL

RPK-LMG

EFF RANGE 800M
RATE OF FIRE
SEMI-AUTO 50 RPM
AUTOMATIC 150 RPM

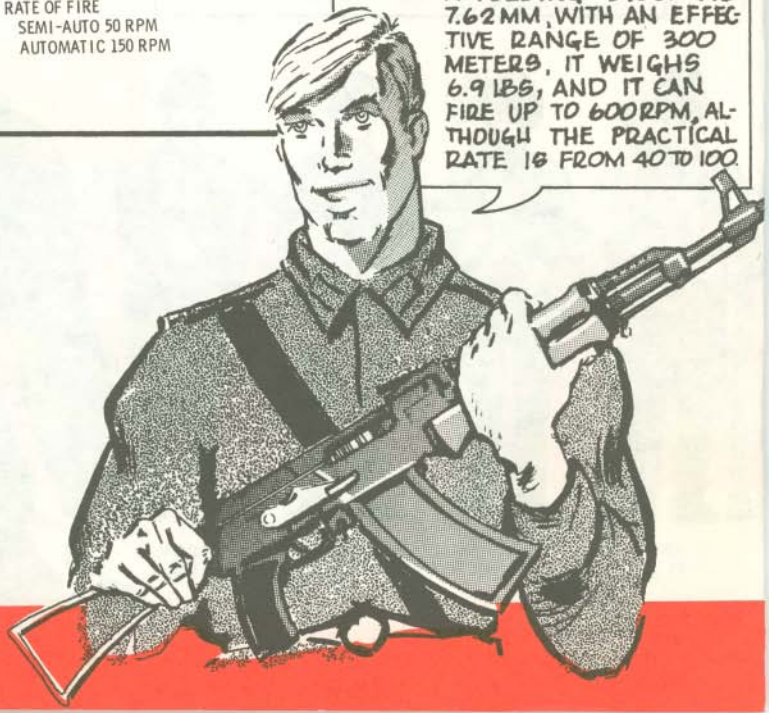
CARRIED IN LIEU OF PK IN SQUADS MOUNTED IN OLDER VERSION APC'S

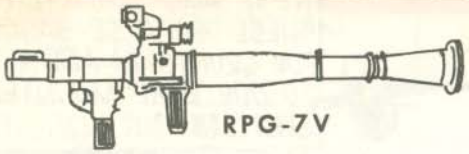
CALIBER 9 MM
LENGTH 6.3 IN
WEIGHT 1.5 LBS
MAG 8 ROUNDS
EFF RANGE 50 METERS

THIS DUDE IS FOR OUR APC DRIVER, ALTHOUGH SOME OF THE OTHER GUYS CARRY THEM TOO.

THE WEAPON I'M HOLDING IS THE AKM

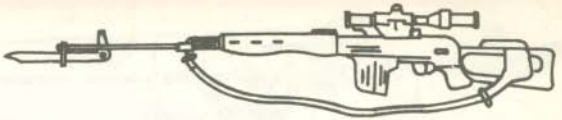
IT'S OUR STANDARD INFANTRY WEAPON; IT ALSO COMES WITH A FOLDING STOCK-IT'S 7.62 MM, WITH AN EFFECTIVE RANGE OF 300 METERS. IT WEIGHS 6.9 LBS, AND IT CAN FIRE UP TO 600 RPM, ALTHOUGH THE PRACTICAL RATE IS FROM 40 TO 100.





RPG-7V

EFF RANGE 300-500 M
RATE OF FIRE 4.6 RPM



SVD SNIPER RIFLE W/TELESCOPIC SIGHT

CALIBER 7.62
LENGTH 48.2 IN
WEIGHT 9.5 LBS
RATE OF FIRE 30 RPM
MAX EFF RANGE 800 M

THIS IS OUR SQUAD ANTI-TANK WEAPON. IT'S CARRIED BY ONE MEMBER WHEN DISMOUNTED.

THIS IS OUR SNIPER RIFLE. THERE'S ONE IN EACH PLATOON.

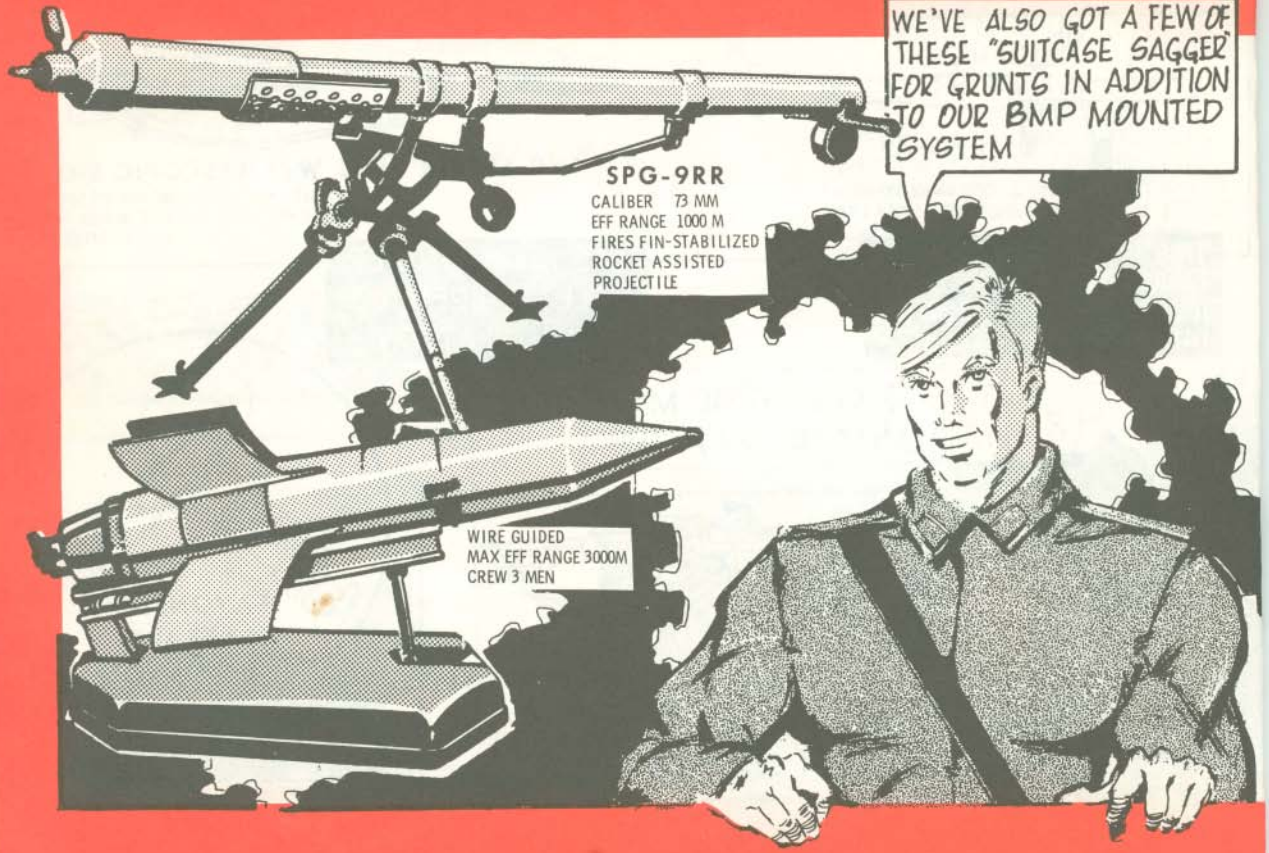
THIS IS OUR SQUAD MG WHEN MOUNTED ON A BMP

PK GENERAL PURPOSE MACHINEGUN (AUTO)

CALIBER 7.62 MM
WEIGHT 19.8 LBS
LENGTH 45.7 IN
EFF RANGE 1000 M
RATE OF FIRE
250 RPM PRACTICAL

BAYONET& SCABBARD

THIS AIN'T A BAD ITEM EITHER; NOTICE THE PLUG WHICH LETS US USE IT AS A WIRE CUTTER.


WE'VE ALSO GOT A FEW OF THESE "SUITCASE SAGGER" FOR GRUNTS IN ADDITION TO OUR BMP MOUNTED SYSTEM
SPG-9RR
CALIBER 73 MM
EFF RANGE 1000 M
FIRES FIN-STABILIZED ROCKET ASSISTED PROJECTILE
WIRE GUIDED
MAX EFF RANGE 3000M
CREW 3 MEN

WE'VE GOT SOME ADDITIONAL SUPPORT AT COMPANY AND HIGHER LEVELS.

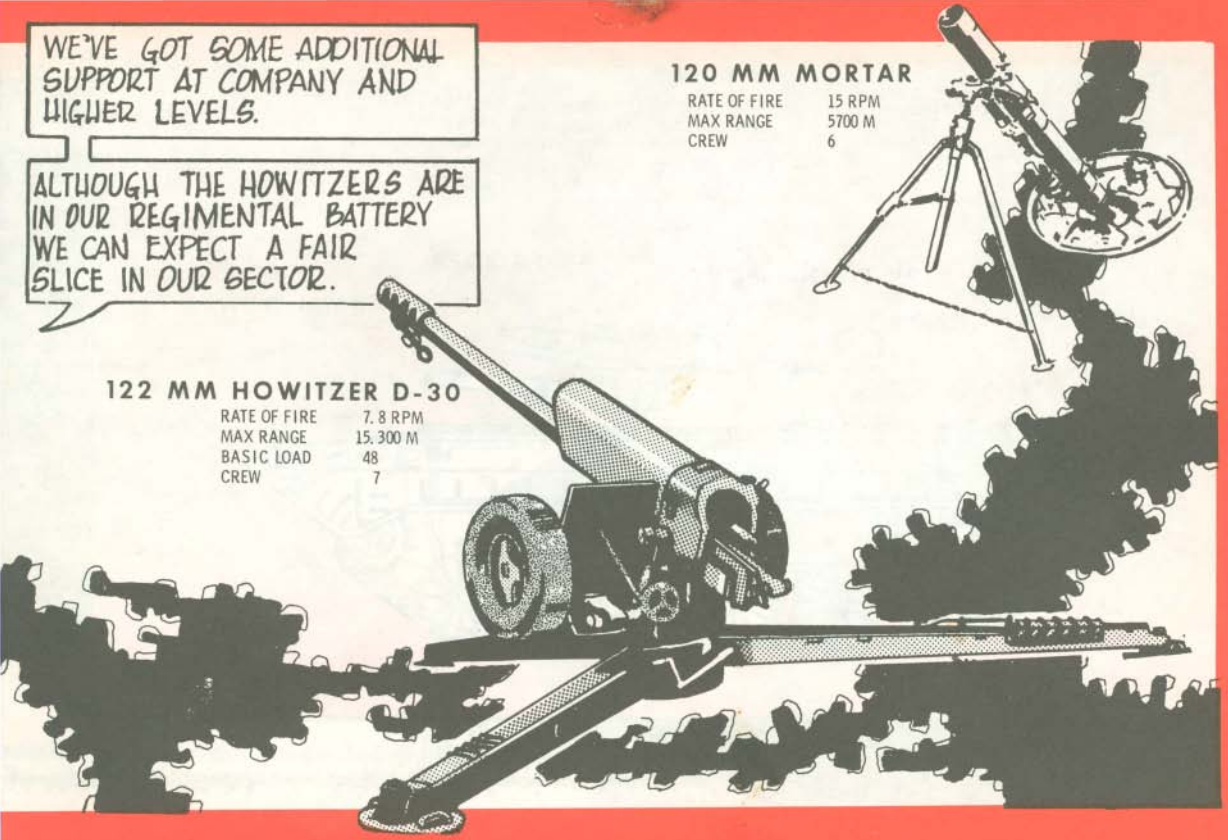
ALTHOUGH THE HOWITZERS ARE IN OUR REGIMENTAL BATTERY WE CAN EXPECT A FAIR SLICE IN OUR SECTOR.

120 MM MORTAR

RATE OF FIRE	15 RPM
MAX RANGE	5700 M
CREW	6

122 MM HOWITZER D-30

RATE OF FIRE	7. 8 RPM
MAX RANGE	15. 300 M
BASIC LOAD	48
CREW	7

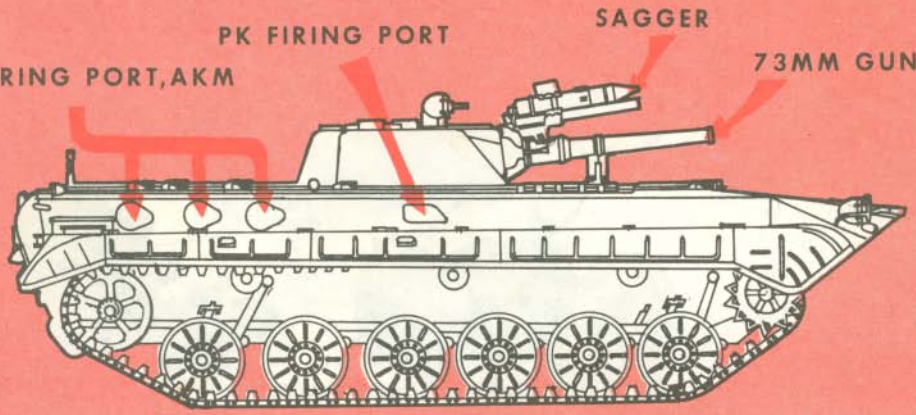


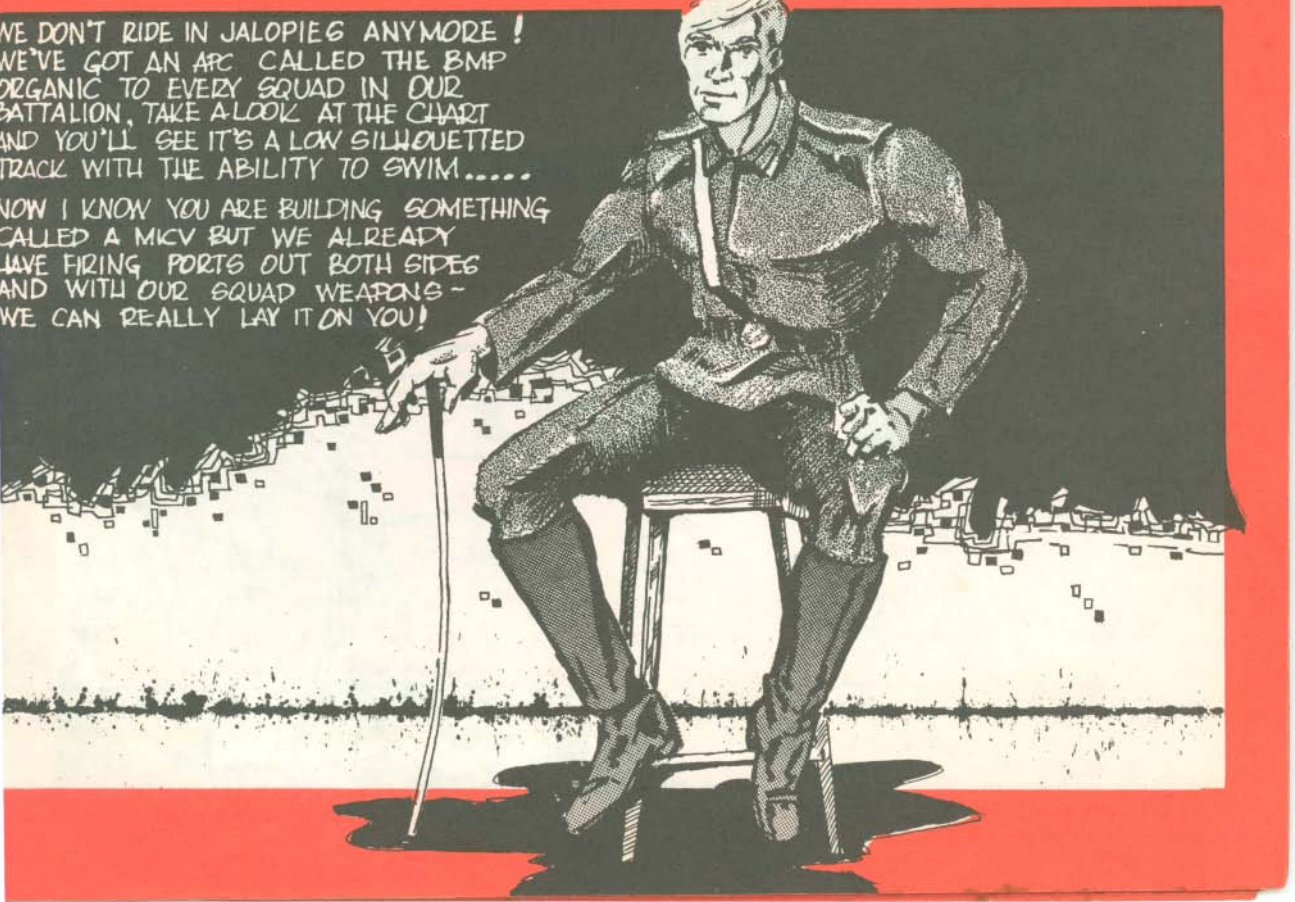
BMP

COMBAT WEIGHT 14 TON
LENGTH 22.1 FT
WIDTH 9.7 FT
HEIGHT 6.2 FT

SPEED, LAND/WATER 55/8KPH
CRUISING RANGE 320 KM(EST)
CREW 3
PASSENGERS 8

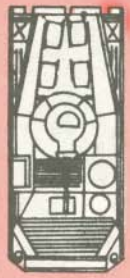
ARMAMENT:
MAIN 73 MM
SMOOTHBORE GUN
SUPPLEMENT SAGGER ATGM
SECONDARY 7.62 PKT MG



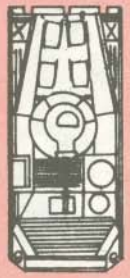

WE DON'T RIDE IN JALOPIES ANYMORE ! WE'VE GOT AN APC CALLED THE BMP ORGANIC TO EVERY SQUAD IN OUR BATTALION, TAKE A LOOK AT THE CHART AND YOU'LL SEE IT'S A LOW SILHOUETTED TRACK WITH THE ABILITY TO SWIM.....
NOW I KNOW YOU ARE BUILDING SOMETHING CALLED A MICV BUT WE ALREADY HAVE FIRING PORTS OUT BOTH SIDES AND WITH OUR SQUAD WEAPONS - WE CAN REALLY LAY IT ON YOU!

TAKE 3 OF THE SQUADS AND VEHICLES WE JUST DISCUSSED AND YOU HAVE A PLATOON. NOTICE THAT A SNIPER IS ASSIGNED TO ONE OF THE SQUADS TO KEEP ENEMY INFANTRY HONEST.

PLT LDR
SQD LDR
2 MGS
*1 AT GUNNER
4 RIFLEMEN
1 DRIVER
1 BMP GUNNER



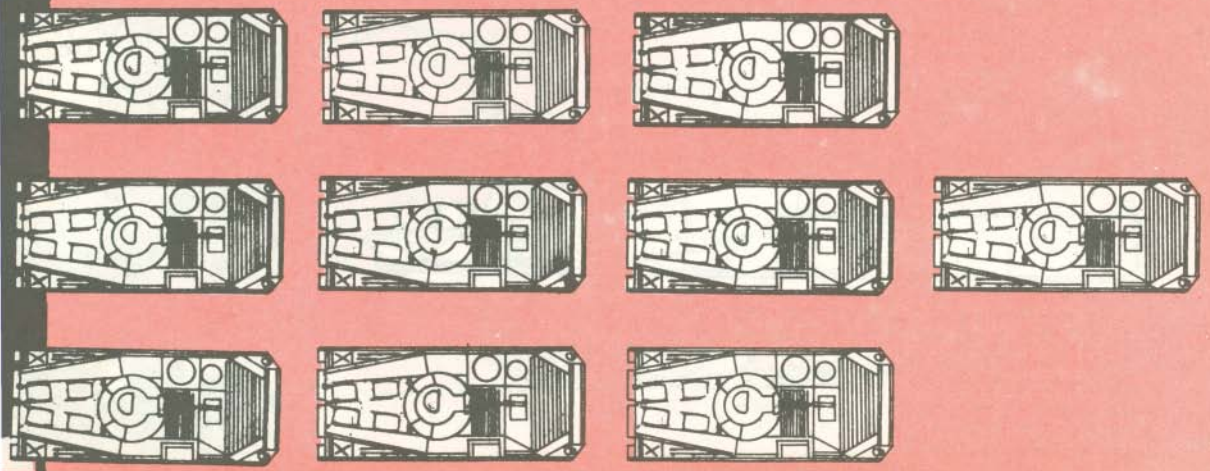
SQD LDR
2 MG'S
*1 AT GUNNER
5 RIFLEMEN
1 DRIVER
1 BMP GUNNER



SQD LDR
2 MG'S
*1 AT GUNNER
5 RIFLEMEN
1 DRIVER
1 BMP GUNNER

NOTES:
AN SA-7 IS MOUNTED IN ONE VEHICLE FOR AIR DEFENSE. *WHEN THE AT GUNNER IS MOUNTED HE USES AN AKM. A SNIPER ARMED WITH AN SVD REPLACES 1 RIFLEMAN IN ONE OF THE SQUADS.

3 RIFLE SQUADS EQUAL A PLATOON - SIMPLE, HUH? THE OLD MAN HAS HIS OWN TRACK, NATURALLY, WHICH CARRIES OUR POLITICAL OFFICER AND TECHNICAL OFFICER. I GUESS YOU CALL 'EM MAINTENANCE OFFICERS AND SENIOR NCO. ONE SA-7 AIR DEFENSE WEAPON I MENTIONED IS ALSO LOCATED THERE.

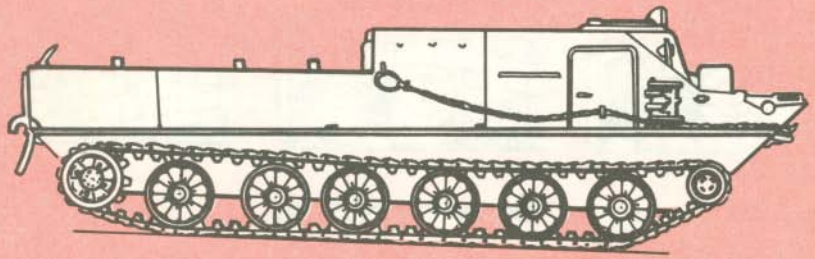


THESE ARE SOME OF OUR OLDER APC'S. THEY'RE THE BTR SERIES WHICH ARE LARGER AND CARRY MORE BODS.

THIS MONSTE'LL TOTE TWO SQUADS

BTR-50P

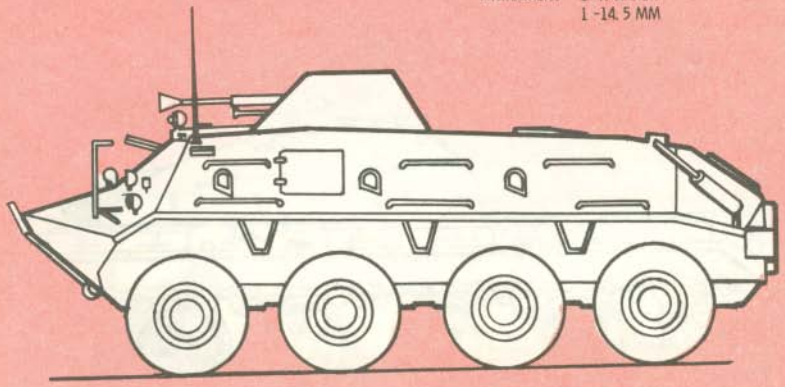
WT: 14.2 TONS
HT: 6.5 FT
SPEED: LAND 44 KPH
WATER 11 KPH
CRUISE RANGE - 250 KM
CREW - 2 PASSENGERS -20
ARMAMENT - 7.62



ALTHOUGH THIS BABY TRAVELS ON WHEELS IT STILL GETS THE JOB DONE PRETTY GOOD.

BTR-60PB

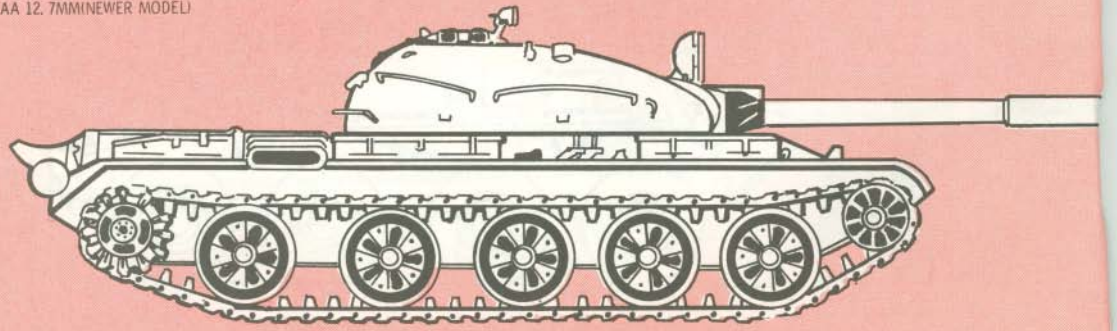
WT: 10.3 TONS
HT: 7.6 FT
SPEED: LAND 80 KPH
WATER 10 KPH
CRUISE RANGE - 500 KM
CREW 2 - PASSENGERS -14
ARMAMENT 1 7.62 MM
1 -14.5 MM

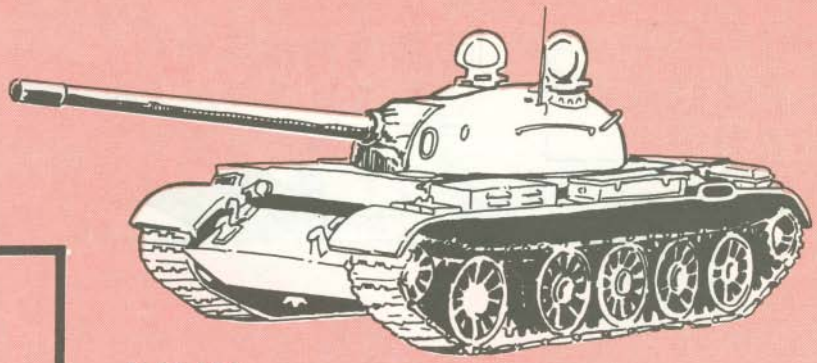


THIS IS OUR CURRENT BASIC TANK, ALTHOUGH WE'RE PRODUCING A NEWER MODEL. THAT 115 MM GUN'S PRETTY GOOD AT 1500 M WHERE THEY SAY WE CAN EXPECT TO ENGAGE AN ENEMY!
WE ALWAYS HAVE SOME ATTACHED TO OUR COMPANY FROM THE REGIMENTAL TANK BATTALION WHEN WE GO ON MANEUVERS.

T-62

CMB WEIGHT 40.2 TONS
HEIGHT 7.9 FT
SPEED 50KPH
CRUISE RANGE 500KM
ARMAMENT: MAIN 115 MM GUN
CO-AX 7.62
AA 12.7MM(NEWER MODEL)





T-55/54

CMB WEIGHT 40 TONS
HEIGHT 7.8 FT
SPEED 50 KPH
CRUISE RANGE 500 KM

ARMAMENT MAIN 100 MM GUN
CO-AX 7.62 MM
AA 12.7 MM

THERE ARE SOME OF THE OLDER TANKS STILL IN USE BY MANY OF OUR UNITS. WE'VE UPDATED THE BASIC MODELS SO THAT THEY'-RE STILL FORMIDABLE SYSTEMS.

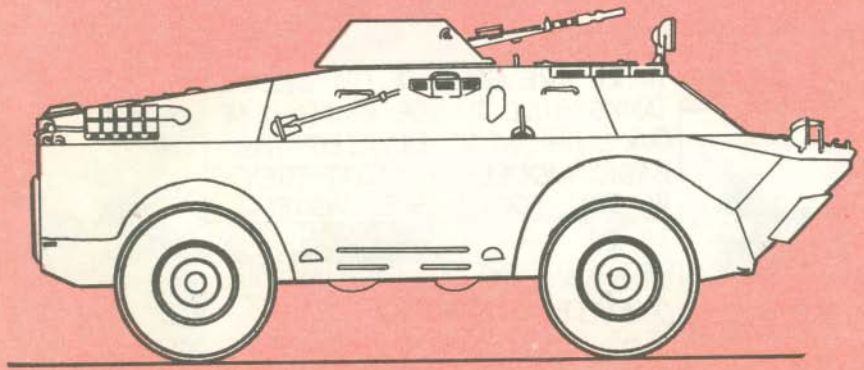
ONE WAY YOU CAN DISTINGUISH OUR OLDER MODELS-THE T-54 OR T-55 FROM THE T-62-IS BY NOTING THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE FIRST AND SECOND ROAD WHEELS

I'VE SEEN IT USED AS A COMMAND CAR AND EVEN WITH ATGMS MOUNTED

THERE ARE SEVERAL OTHER VERSIONS OF THIS BABY!

BDRM-2

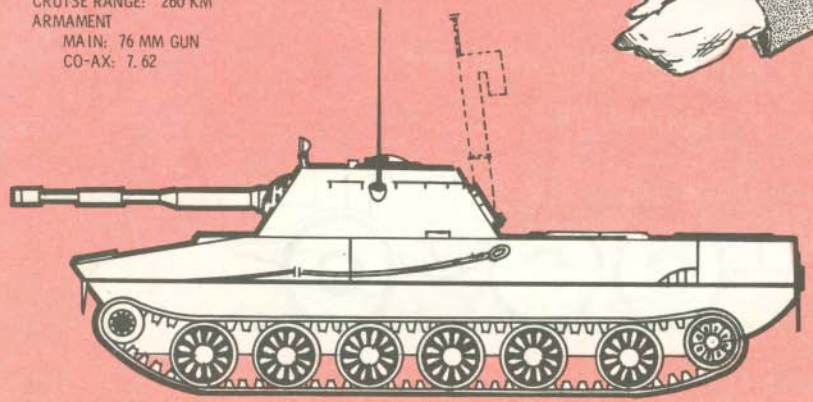
AMPHIBIOUS SCOUT CAR
WT: 7 TONS
SPEED: LAND 100 KPH
WATER 10 KPH
ARMAMENT: 14.5 MG
CRUISE RANGE: 750
CREW: 4



THESE ARE SNOOP AND SCOUT VEHICLES IN OUR RECON UNITS. WHEN YOU SPOT THEM, WE WON'T BE FAR BEHIND!

PT-76

AMPHIBIOUS TANK
CREW - 3
WEIGHT - 14 TON
SPEED - LAND 44 KPH
WATER 10 KPH
CRUISE RANGE: 260 KM
ARMAMENT
MAIN: 76 MM GUN
CO-AX: 7.62

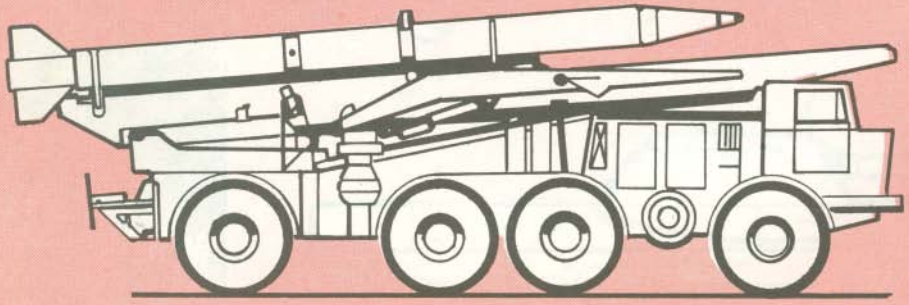


THERE'S A LOT OF OTHER STUFF I'VE SEEN TOO..... I DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT THIS THING HERE BUT IT SCARED H___ OUT OF ME IN ADDITION THERE'S A PILE OF DIFFERENT GUNS AND MISSILE AA WEAPONS THROUGHOUT THE DIVISION TO DISCHARGE ALL THOSE PLANES I ALWAYS SEE YOU USING.

FROG-7

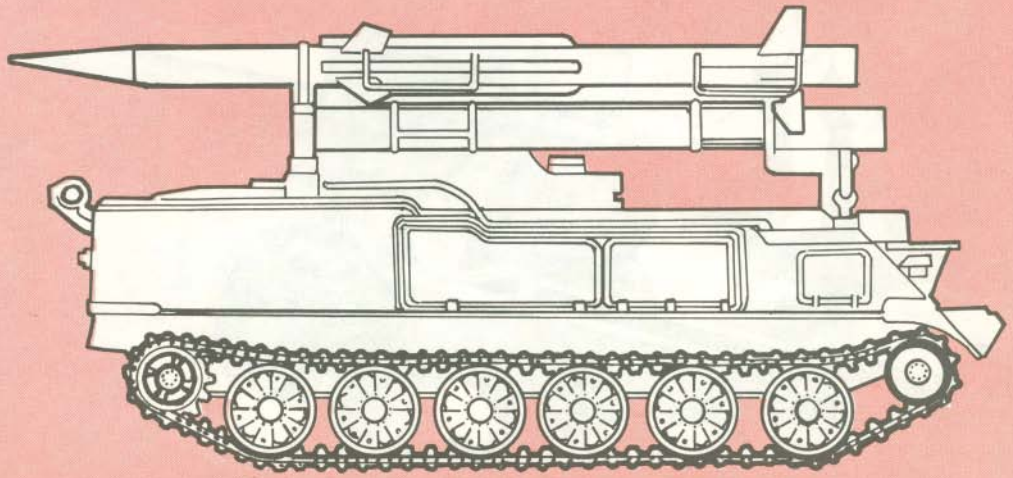
WT OF WARHEAD: 1000LBS

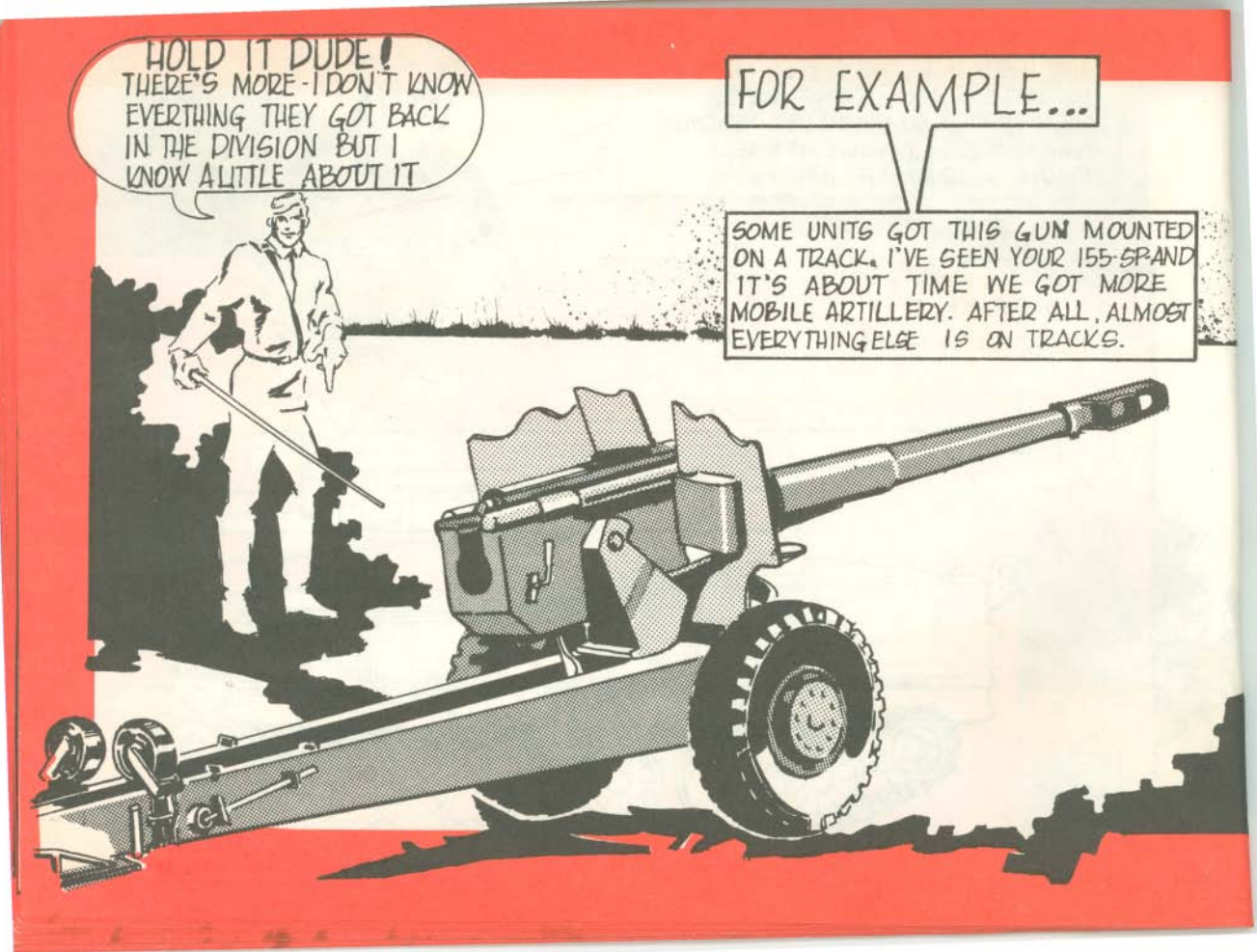
RANGE: 60KM



FOR INSTANCE, THEY TELL ME THIS MONSTER REALLY TURNS THOSE HIGH FLYERS ON-QUICK! YOUR "NEWSWEEK" SAID IT REALLY GAVE ISRAELI PILOTS A HEADACHE IN "73"

SA-6(GAINFUL)
AIR DEFENSE MISSLE SYSTEM




HOLD IT DUDE! THERE'S MORE - I DON'T KNOW EVERTHING THEY GOT BACK IN THE DIVISION BUT I KNOW A LITTLE ABOUT IT
FOR EXAMPLE...
SOME UNITS GOT THIS GUN MOUNTED ON A TRACK. I'VE SEEN YOUR 155-SP AND IT'S ABOUT TIME WE GOT MORE MOBILE ARTILLERY. AFTER ALL, ALMOST EVERYTHING ELSE IS ON TRACKS.

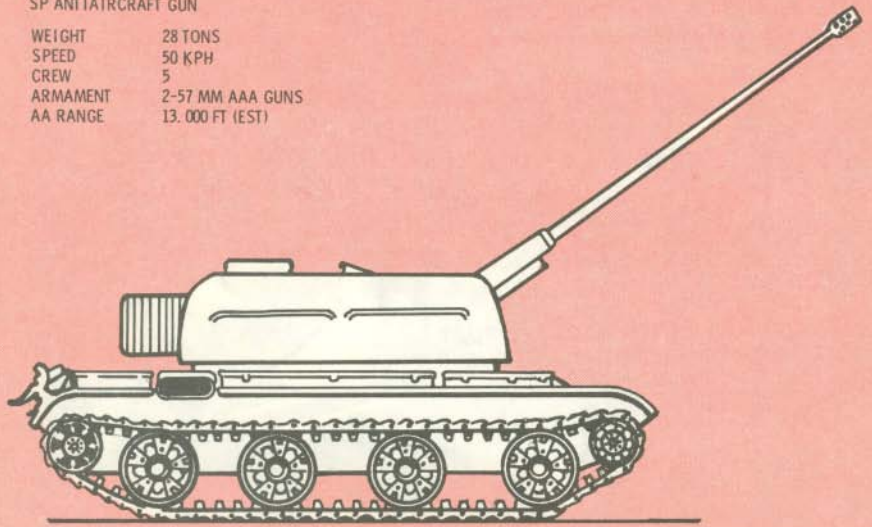
BM-21
ROCKET LAUNCHER
TRUCK MOUNTED
40 TUBES
122 MM
RANGE: 20,500 M
I'VE SEEN THIS ROCKET LAUNCHER IN ACTION AND IT COULD SPOIL YOUR WHOLE DAY.
THE SYSTEM IS MOUNTED ON A URAL-375 TRUCK. THERE'S ANOTHER, NEWER VERSION THAT CARRIES ADDITIONAL ROCKETS AND IS MORE MOBILE

THIS AIN'T A BAD SYSTEM EITHER: IT'S FOR MEDIUM ALTITUDE DEFENSE

SU-57

SP ANTIAIRCRAFT GUN

WEIGHT	28 TONS
SPEED	50 KPH
CREW	5
ARMAMENT	2-57 MM AAA GUNS
AA RANGE	13. 000 FT (EST)

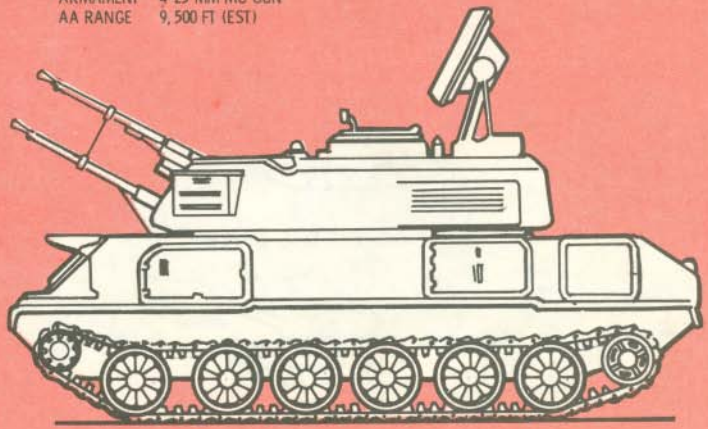


THIS BABY CAN REALLY MAKE YOUR ROTOR BLADES SPIN, IN DIVISION EXERCISES THEY PUT'EM ALL OVER THE PLACE FOR LOW ALTITUDE AIRCRAFT; I EVEN SAW IT USED AS A GROUND WEAPON IN ONE DEFENSIVE EXERCISE.

ZSU 23-4

SP ANTIAIRCRAFT VEHICLE

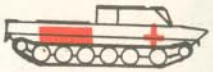
WEIGHT	ABOUT 14 TONS
SPEED	50 KPH
CREW	4
ARMAMENT	4-23 MM MG GUN
AA RANGE	9,500 FT (EST)



ENGINE COMPARTMENT

POINT OF MAXIMUM VULNERABILITY +

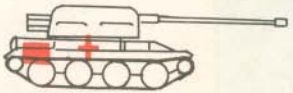
BRDM



BTR-50

BTR-60

TYPICAL MEDIUM TANK



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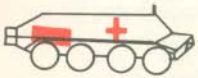

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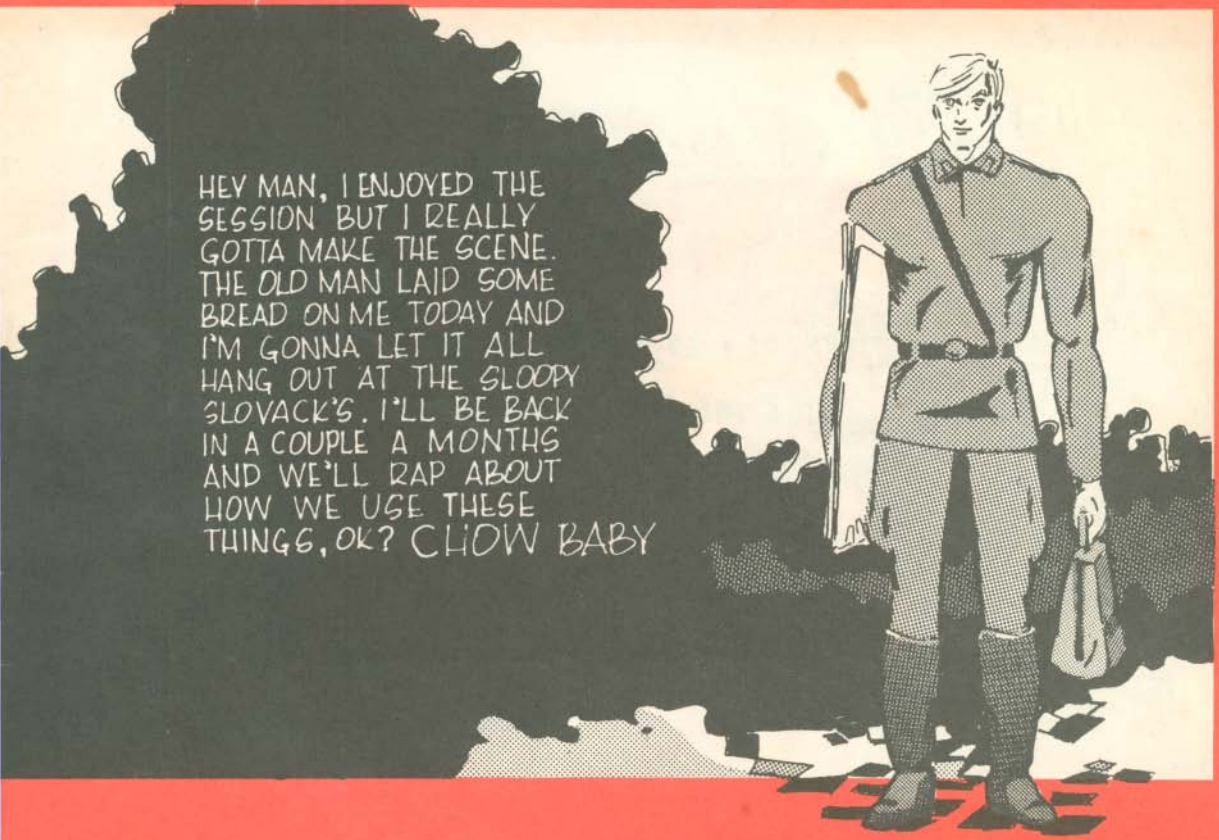
HEY MAN, I ENJOYED THE SESSION BUT I REALLY GOTTA MAKE THE SCENE. THE OLD MAN LAID SOME BREAD ON ME TODAY AND I'M GONNA LET IT ALL HANG OUT AT THE SLOOPY SLOVACK'S. I'LL BE BACK IN A COUPLE A MONTHS AND WE'LL RAP ABOUT HOW WE USE THESE THINGS, OK? CHOW BABY

PERPARED BY YOUR FRIENDLY

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